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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

MS: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 20, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application (Confirmation No. 7276), please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks. The present Amendment and Response is accompanied by a request for a three-month extension of time and the requisite fee, and is therefore timely.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.

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